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NIEHS BIOMEDICAL CAREER SYMPOSIUM



Friday, April 24, 2015

7:45 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

EPA Campus, Building C

109 TW Alexander Drive • Research Triangle Park, N.C.

Keynote Address

***“But I Have No Skills!”
Debunking Myths and
Exploring Career Options
for Ph.D.s”***



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*A nationally certified career
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*Currently studying employment
patterns of recent science and
engineering Ph.D.s to create a visual
map of career clusters and identify
the skills and experiences required to
enter different scientific occupations.*

Career-Specific Discussions

- Consulting
- Writing and Communication
- Running Your Own Lab
- Medical Science Liaison/Field Application Specialist
- Teaching
- Contract Research Organizations
- Scientific Review Officer/Grants Management
- Industry

Career-Development Workshops

- Achieving Synergy Between Personal and Professional Interests
- How to Get That First Job
- Networking
- Local Resources for Identifying Career Opportunities
- Leadership and You: Balancing Strengths and Challenges
- Negotiating Non-Academic Job Offers
- How to Develop the Skills Needed for Careers in Science Outreach and Program Administration
- Managing Your Research Career Using an Individual Development Plan (IDP)
- Leveraging LinkedIn for Expertise Development and Career Opportunities
- Starting Your Own Lab

Networking Opportunities

- Informal Networking Lunch
- Afternoon Reception and Exhibit Browsing

One-on-One CV/Resume Consultations with Professionals from Academia, Industry, and Government

For more information and registration:

<http://tools.niehs.nih.gov/careerfair>

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